## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA SHREVEPORT DIVISION

AKEEM HENDERSON and JENNIFER ALEXANDER, INDIVIDUALLY AND AS ADMINISTRATRIX OF THE SUCCESSION OF A. H.

**VERSUS** 

WILLIS-KNIGHTON MEDICAL CENTER d/b/a WILLIS KNIGHTON SOUTH HOSPITAL **CIVIL ACTION NO. 5:19-CV-00163** 

JUDGE ELIZABETH E. FOOTE

MAGISTRATE JUDGE MARK L. HORNSBY

## AFFIDAVIT OF PLAINTIFF, JENNIFER ALEXANDER

**BE IT KNOWN** that on this day of May, 2020, before me, the undersigned Notary, personally came and appeared JENNIFER ALEXANDER, who after being duly sworn, did depose and state the following, to-wit:

- 1. Affiant is the mother of A.H. and plaintiff in the captioned lawsuit.
- 2. A.H. was born pre-mature and suffered a history of respiratory illness, as well as, numerous emergency department visits and hospitalizations at Willis Knighton South due to same.
- 3. Affiant took A.H. to Willis Knighton South Emergency Department (ED) at approximately 2:00 a.m. on February 10, 2018, after a breathing treatment at home with Albuterol failed to bring A.H. relief from an asthma attack and difficulty breathing.
- 4. Affiant remained with A.H. the entire time the child was in the emergency department and knows of her own personal knowledge that A.H. was examined by Dr. Easterling approximately thirty minutes after affiant arrived at the ED, the exam lasted approximately fifteen minutes, and thereafter, neither Dr. Easterling, nor any other doctor, laid eyes on, much less, examined A.H. again, prior to A.H. being discharged at approximately 4:00 a.m.
- 5. At the time A.H. was discharged, she was wheezing and breathing more rapid than normal.

- 6. Affiant took A.H. to the child's grandmother's home after leaving the hospital. Upon arriving at her grandmother's, A.H. had difficulty getting out of the car and was not physically able to climb the few steps to the front door.
- 7. At approximately 7:00 a.m. that morning, Affiant was advised by her mother that A.H. was unresponsive and that 911 had been called to transport A.H. to Willis Knighton Bossier.
- 8. A.H. never regained consciousness and died February 16, 2018, after life support was discontinued.
- 9. The above statements are true and correct to the best of Affiant's personal knowledge, information and belief.

JENNIFER ALEXANDER

WITNESSES:

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before, me, the undersigned Notary, in Shreveport,

Caddo Parish, Louisiana on this day of May, 2020.

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